

Hawkinge Primary School

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Dear Parents,

The last week of term has come around very quickly. It does not seem like two minutes ago that the children had moved up to their new classrooms and our 'new reception' children were starting school. Last week saw the start of our 'good-byes' to the Year 6 pupils who are moving on to Secondary Schools. On Wednesday and Thursday evening Y6 put on two wonderful performances of Shakespeare Rocks! The quality of the performance, the singing and props were excellent! I thoroughly enjoyed both evenings. The children (and staff) worked hard to put on excellent performances!

On Friday we ended the week by having a whole school history performance in honour of Mrs Bispham. It was an early 'surprise' farewell party for her! Each class put on a performance based around one of their favourite history themes from the year sharing the facts they had learnt and a song / song & dance! The choir also performed the finale song! It was a great performance thoroughly enjoyed by Mrs Bispham!

At the end of this week we are also saying good bye to Miss Brown who is going to train as an Occupational Therapist, Miss Eastwood who is moving schools & Mr McCarvill who is pursuing new horizons! I am sure you will want to join with me in wishing them all luck in their future ventures!

This week we have a fairly quiet week planned - lots of finishing off work, sorting out trays (!) returning PE kits and lost property back to its rightful place. On Friday afternoon we will end the week with a picnic on the school field (thank you for your support in providing food for this event) and an assembly for all of our 'leavers' on Friday morning at the Community Centre. The assembly will start at 9:30am and will end between 10:30-11am.

On behalf of all the staff at Hawkinge Primary School I would like to thank you for your ongoing support this year and wish you a sunny, relaxing summer break!

For children, school starts back on Wednesday 6th September - we look forwards to seeing you then,

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Diary Dates – Term 6

21st July - End of term

6th September – First day back

Planning ahead.

I would really appreciate your support with school uniform colours next year. Please can I ask that children wear white polo shirts / shirts only?
Many thanks!

Attendance / holidays

Please do remember that we are not in a position to be able to authorise holidays for children during school time. If there is a reason your son / daughter needs time out of school for an **exceptional circumstance** please complete the exceptional circumstances form that can be found in the school office or on the school website – About Us / Policy link / Attendance Policy.

Attendance news!

Peter Pan had the best attendance last week 99.67%

If you are thinking of booking a late summer holiday this year the children will return to school on Wednesday 6th September. The school will be closed to children on the 4th & 5th September for teacher training days. If you are booking a later holiday can I remind you of the importance of the children being back to school on the first day back when the classes spend a considerable time participating in team building games and activities which are crucial in setting the children up for a good start to the school year?

Voucher for Amazing Glaze

Premier Sport are running Summer Holiday Courses for children from all local schools at The Churchill Primary School in Hawkinge and at Astor College in Dover.

The first Churchill course runs from 31st July - 4th August is a Football course for boys and girls from 5- 12 yrs old. 4 Year olds are welcome but need to be booked in via email to Pete at pbulteel@premiersport.org

There is also a course at Astor the same week which is a Multi Sports Course with Dance and Cheerleading available.

The second Churchill course from 21st - 25th August is a Multi Sport course for the same age groups where children will have a chance to try lots of different sports every day, ranging from archery and fencing to football, dodgeball, netball and basketball and lots more.

Astor courses also run from 14th - 25th August as Multi Sports and Dance and Cheerleading.

It is an excellent way for children to make new friends, have a great time playing sport and keep healthy and active through the summer holiday.

To book places please visit our Premier Sport South East Kent facebook page or go to

www.premiersport.org/courses

Use Promo Code PB544 to get 5 days for the price of 4.